

# Stormwater

## HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE

Many household chemicals pose serious health risk if not properly handled, stored and disposed of. It has never been easier to remove these hazards from your home.

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## Household Hazardous Waste Types

Residents of Greeley, Colorado may use the Weld County Household Hazardous Waste Collection Center to dispose of household hazardous chemicals. Greeley residents should seriously consider using the Center to dispose of these chemicals because they pose a treat to sanitation workers and anyone who comes in contact with them. These chemicals may also threaten ground water and the environment at the landfill.

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| ▪ Antifreeze                 | ▪ Paint Thinner / Remover |
| ▪ Car / Motorcycle Batteries | ▪ Petroleum Products      |
| ▪ Car Cleaners and Waxes     | ▪ Photography Chemicals   |
| ▪ Degreasers                 | ▪ Radiator Flushes        |
| ▪ Deodorizes                 | ▪ Rodent Poison           |
| ▪ Drain Cleaners             | ▪ Rug Cleaners            |
| ▪ Expired Medicines          | ▪ Rust Removers           |
| ▪ Flea Powder                | ▪ Silver Cleaners         |
| ▪ Insecticides               | ▪ Spot Removers           |
| ▪ Lacquers                   | ▪ Toilet Bowl Cleaners    |
| ▪ Moth Balls                 | ▪ Used Oil / Filters      |
| ▪ Paints                     | ▪ Wood Preservatives      |

Some wastes cannot be accepted at the Weld County Household Hazardous Waste Center, including:

- Radioactive Materials (e.g., smoke detectors)
- Asbestos
- Shock-sensitive Materials (e.g., crystallized chemicals)
- Water Reactive Materials
- Biological Hazards or Infectious Agents (e.g., syringes, needles, bandages, etc)
- Construction Materials
- Explosive Materials
- Large Compressed Gas Cylinders or Tanks

*If you have these types of wastes, please call the hotline numbers listed below for assistance in finding other disposal options.*

*If you have business, industrial, commercial, or farm and agricultural related hazardous waste, call 356-4000, ext 2233 for additional assistance.*

## **Pertinent Information on the Weld County Household Hazardous Waste Center**

There are two Weld County Household Hazardous Waste Collection Centers.

	<b>Greeley Site</b>	<b>South Weld Site</b>
<b>Location:</b>	1311 North 17 <sup>th</sup> Avenue Greeley, Colorado	5990 Weld County Road 11 ½ Dacono, Colorado
<b>Hotline:</b>	304-6415, extension 2233	857-4334, extension 2233
<b>Hours:</b>	Every Tuesday & Saturday, 8:00 am – 5:00 pm	Every Friday and the 1 <sup>st</sup> and 3 <sup>rd</sup> Saturday of the month 8:00 am – 5:00 pm

## **Cost to Use the Center**

This is a **NO COST** program for Weld County residents.

## Drop-N-Swap Program

Many products taken to the Household Hazardous Waste Collection sites for disposal are usable, so the center has developed a drop-n-swap program to offer these products to residents of Weld County. Anyone 18 years of age or older can take, for free, any of the products offered.

The Weld County Household Hazardous Waste Program **CANNOT GUARANTEE** the integrity, safety, usability, or effectiveness of these products. **You accept these products at your own risk.**